

An information processing apparatus
 includes a tuner receiving a signal according to a
 received broadcast, a first processing part
 5 performing a desired processing on the signal
 supplied from the tuner, converting the signal into
 a first signal of a given format, and outputting the
 first signal, a second processing part converting
 the signal supplied from the tuner into a second
 10 signal of the given format and outputting the second
 signal, and an output part selectively outputting
 one of the first and second signals. The first and
 second processing parts are startable independently
 of each other.